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SUBJECT: FRENCH AND SPANISH TUNA FISHING OFF ANGOLA

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1. EMBASSY HAS BEEN TOLD BY GOS FISHING OFFICIAL AND SPANISH TUNA INDUSTRY SOURCE THAT NO REPEAT NO SPANISH VESSELS ARE FISHING OFF ANGOLA AT PRESENT. ACCORDING TO INDUSTRY SOURCE SPANISH FISHERMEN CONSIDER RISK TOO GREAT SINCE PRESENT REGIME HAS BEEN IN POWER IN ANGOLA. SPANISH ARE NOW FISHING OFF SENEGAL, OPERATING OUT OF DAKAR, AND WILL LATER MOVE TO WATERS OFF IVORY COAST WITH OPERATION BASED IN ABIDJAN.

2. INDUSTRY SOURCE ALSO TOLD EMBOFF THAT OF APPROXIMATELY 45 SPANISH PURSE SEINERS, ABOUT 85 PER CENT ARE FROM BERMEO PORT, WHILE BALANCE ARE FROM BARBATE (CADIZ) WITH SEVEN VESSELS, HUELVA (3 VESSELS) AND CEUTA (2 OR 3 VESSELS). SOURCE ALSO CONFIRMED REPORT CARRIED IN SPANISH PRESS AUGUST 24
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TO EFFECT THAT LOCAL TUNA FISHERMEN IN CANARY ISLANDS (ABOUT 3200 TOTAL WITH 682 BOATS), WHO LINE FISH TUNA, HAVE CEASED FISHING DUE TO LOW PRICES OFFERED. BECAUSE OF LARGE INVENTORIES OF CANNED TUNA, CANNERIES HAVE REDUCED OPERATIONS SIGNIFICANTLY AND PRICES OF FRESH TUNA HAVE DROPPED TO AVERAGE OF ONLY 20-30 PESETAS/KILOGRAM (ABOUT 25-40 CENTS).

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